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IMPORT, TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 22nd June 1953

SUBJECT.—*Import of sugar excluding confectionery.*

No. 96-ITC(P.N.)/53.—The Government of India have decided that applications from the trade should be entertained for licences to import sugar excluding confectionery falling under S. No. 68 of Part IV from foreign countries.

2. Applications will be considered from both established importers and large dealers who should apply to the Chief Controller of Imports, New Delhi, with the following evidence:—

- (1) Bills of entry regarding past imports if established importer.
- (2) Evidence of annual turnover—if dealer internally.
- (3) Rationing Registration Number if any held by the applicant before sugar was decontrolled.
- (4) Offer if any received by the applicant from an overseas supplier.

Establishments and factories who are themselves consumers of sugar may also apply. With their application they should produce a certificate of their requirements from the Director of Industries or other appropriate State authority.

Applications will be considered on merits and importers should, therefore, in their own interests submit as much information as possible with the application to satisfy the licensing authority of the applicant's ability to import the commodity upto the quantity and value applied for within two months.

Licences will be valid for shipment for two months from the date of issue. The maximum quantity for which an importer will be given a licence will be 6,000 tons.

For the present, licences will be valid for import at Madras and Bombay ports only.

The first batch of applications will be taken up for consideration on the 10th July, 1953 and applications should reach the Chief Controller of Imports by that date.

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